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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: J. Whipkey
YUICHI HOSODA et al.)
: Group Art Unit: 2612
Application No.: 09/910,896)
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Filed: July 24, 2001)
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For: IMAGE RECORDING DEVICE,)
IMAGE INPUT DEVICE, AND :
DATA PROCESSOR, IMAGE)
RECORDING METHOD, AND :
STORAGE MEDIUM)
RECORDING IMAGE RECORD :
CONTROL PROGRAM) January 27, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 28, 2004 for one month from December 28, 2004 to January 28, 2005.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Frank L. Cire', written over a horizontal line.

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